## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE BEFORE THE TRADEMARK TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

In re Application Serial No. 76/086,290; Filed July 11, 2000; In the name of Custom Golf Sales, Inc.; Published in the Official Gazette, February 26, 2002; 12-23-2002 U.S. Patent & TMOfc/TM Mail Rept Dt. #78 RANDY N. GRAHAM, Opposer, Opposition No. 91151470 v. (Opposer's File No. 26647.001) CUSTOM GOLF SALES, INC., (Applicant's File No. 2150-1/020342) Applicant. December 19, 2002 BOX TTAB - NO FEE

## OPPOSER'S CONSENTED MOTION TO REOPEN AND EXTEND DISCOVERY AND TESTIMONY PERIODS

Sir:

Commissioner for Trademarks

Arlington, VA 22202-3513

2900 Crystal Drive

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 2.121, Opposer, Randy N. Graham, respectfully moves the Trademark Trial and Appeal Board to reopen the discovery period and to reset the discovery and testimony periods in the above-captioned action. In support of this Motion, the Opposer shows the Board the following:

1. Opposer's counsel of record, James M. Harrington, Clifford R. Jarrett, and Kennedy Covington Lobdell & Hickman, LLP, have, contemporaneously with this motion,

requested that the Board grant them leave under 37 C.F.R. § 10.40(c) to withdraw as counsel of record for Opposer.

- 2. The stated grounds for withdrawal are that the Opposer has failed to pay a number of statements, as agreed, for an unreasonable amount of time.
- 3. Further to the Opposer's failure as noted above, Opposer failed to authorize Opposer's counsel to conduct discovery during the original period, and no discovery was conducted.
- 4. The reopening of discovery and an extension of discovery and testimony deadlines are necessary to prevent substantial prejudice to Opposer's rights.
- 5. Counsel for Applicant, Gregory Everman, has consented to the reopening and extension.
  - 6. Opposer's Motion is made in good faith and not for the purpose of delay.

If this Motion is approved by the Board, the Discovery and testimony periods are set as follows:

Discovery period to close:

March 4, 2003

30-day testimony period for party in position of plaintiff to close:

May 5, 2003

30-day testimony period for party in position of defendant to close:

July 7, 2003

15-day rebuttal testimony period for plaintiff to close:

August 22, 2003

WHEREFORE, the Opposer respectfully moves the Board to reopen discovery and to extend the deadlines for discovery and testimony in the above-captioned action.

Respectfully submitted,

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## **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

This is to certify that I have this day served the Applicant and the Opposer in the foregoing matter with a true and correct copy of this Request by depositing a copy thereof in the United States Mail in a properly addressed envelope with adequate postage thereon.

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